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After ten long years, the iron-fisted rule of DOCTOR ROBOTNIK over planet MOBIUS was believed to have finally ended! With the technological tyrant vanquished and his polluted factories shut down, order and beauty were restored to the city of MOBOTROPOLIS. Now the villain has returned to wreak havoc once more, but there are many who are willing to stand against him in the fight for freedom. The bravest among them is a brash, blue streak who just happens to be the fastest thing alive!

ARCHIE COMICS and SEGA PRESENT... SONIC THE HEDGEHOG!

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In the last issue, Sonic and The Freedom Fighters were treated to a day in the Hidden City of the Ancients known as Station Square. Sonic, Tails and Amy Rose went exploring while Sally, Nate, Antoine and Bunnie stayed with the Mayor. It is now night time in Station Square and Sonic is on the prowl...

The last time we saw Knuckles The Echidna, he was searching the Mystic Ruins for clues as to Dr. Robotnik's whereabouts. Little does he know that the inhabitants of the area surrounding it have invaded the non-Floating Island and taken the Chaotix hostage...

In last issue's solo story, we saw Amy Rose shop all over Station Square until she came across a Flickie Bird. He was being chased by one of Robotnik's scanning droids due to the unusual jewel around his neck. She tries to protect him and is herself kidnapped. Find out what happens to her as we explore E-102's origin in this issue...

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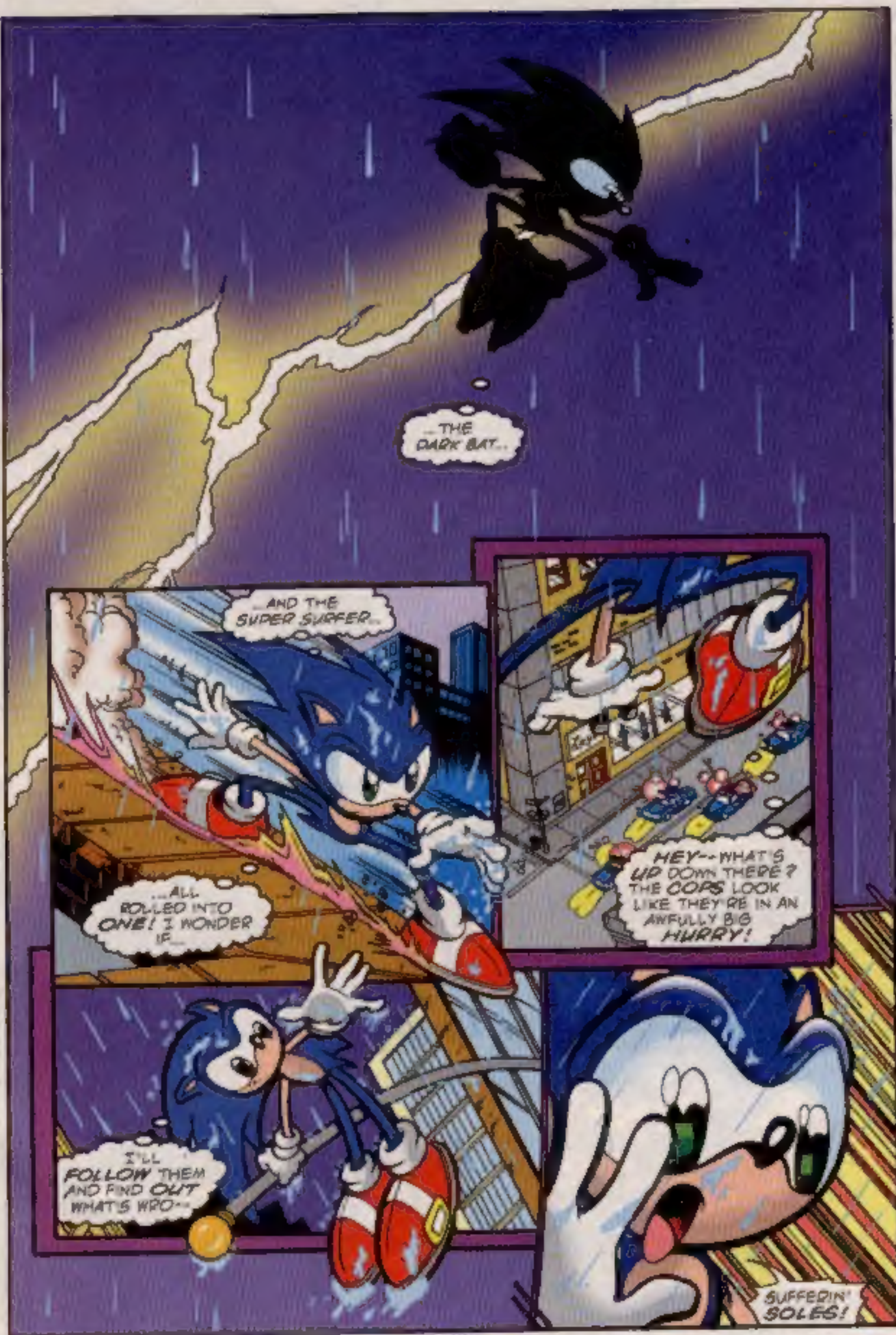
SONIC

THE HEDGEHOG

IN

**NIGHT OF
CHAOS!**

THIS TOWN IS
AWESOME--NOTHING
LIKE **KNOTHOLE**. I
FEEL LIKE MY FAVORITE
COMIC BOOK ADVENTURE
HEROES...THE
PUSH...



...THE
DARK BAT...

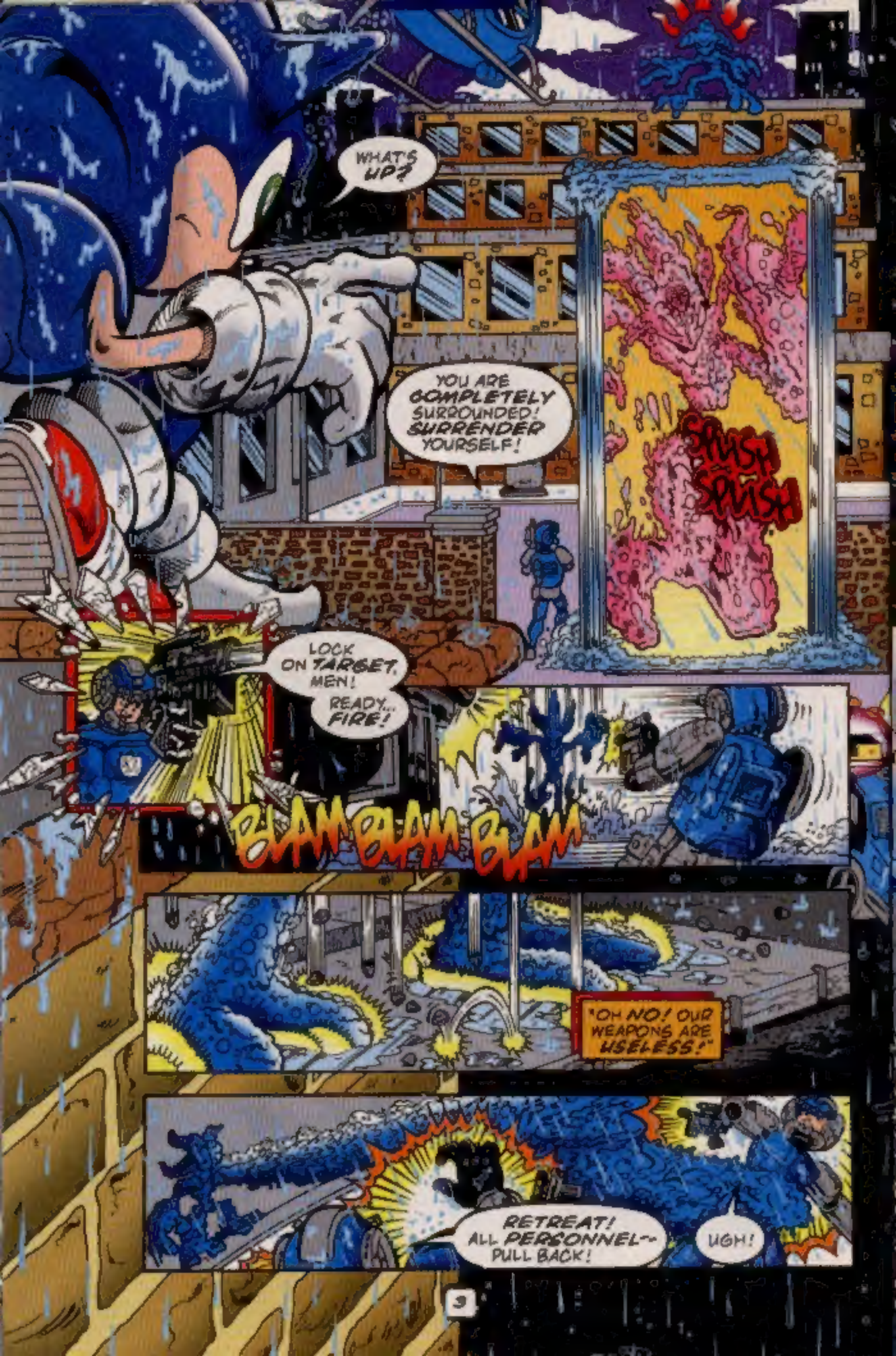
...AND THE
SUPER SURFER...

...ALL
ROLLED INTO
ONE! I WONDER
IF...

HEY--WHAT'S
UP DOWN THERE?
THE CARS LOOK
LIKE THEY'RE IN AN
AWFULLY BIG
HURRY!

I'LL
FOLLOW THEM
AND FIND OUT
WHAT'S WHO...

SUFFERIN'
SOLES!



WHAT'S
UP?

YOU ARE
COMPLETELY
SURROUNDED!
SURRENDER
YOURSELF!

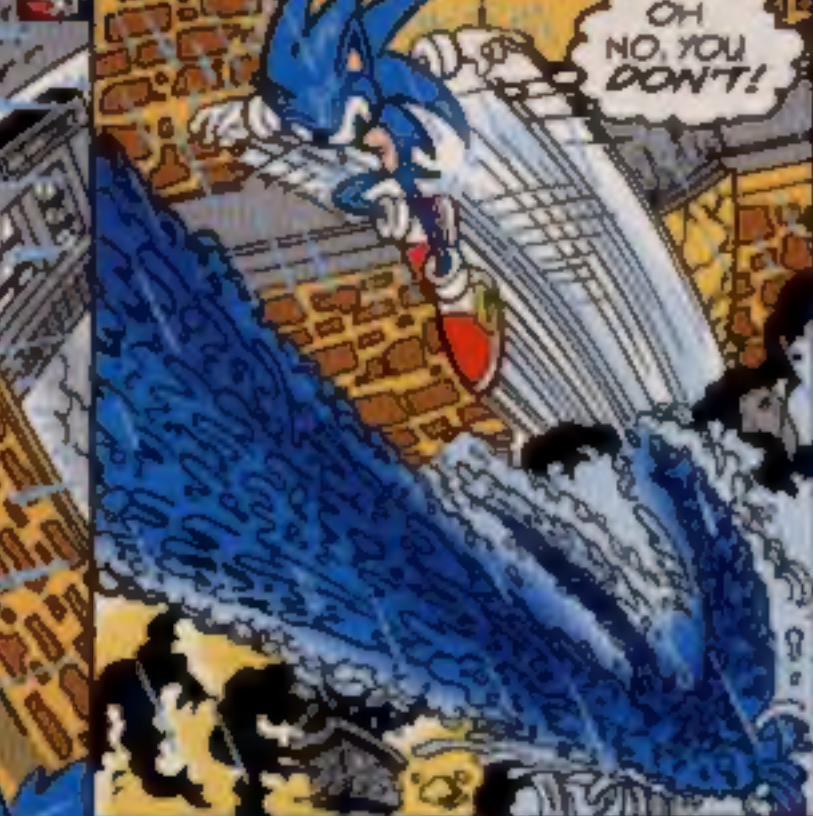
LOCK
ON TARGET,
MEN!
READY...
FIRE!

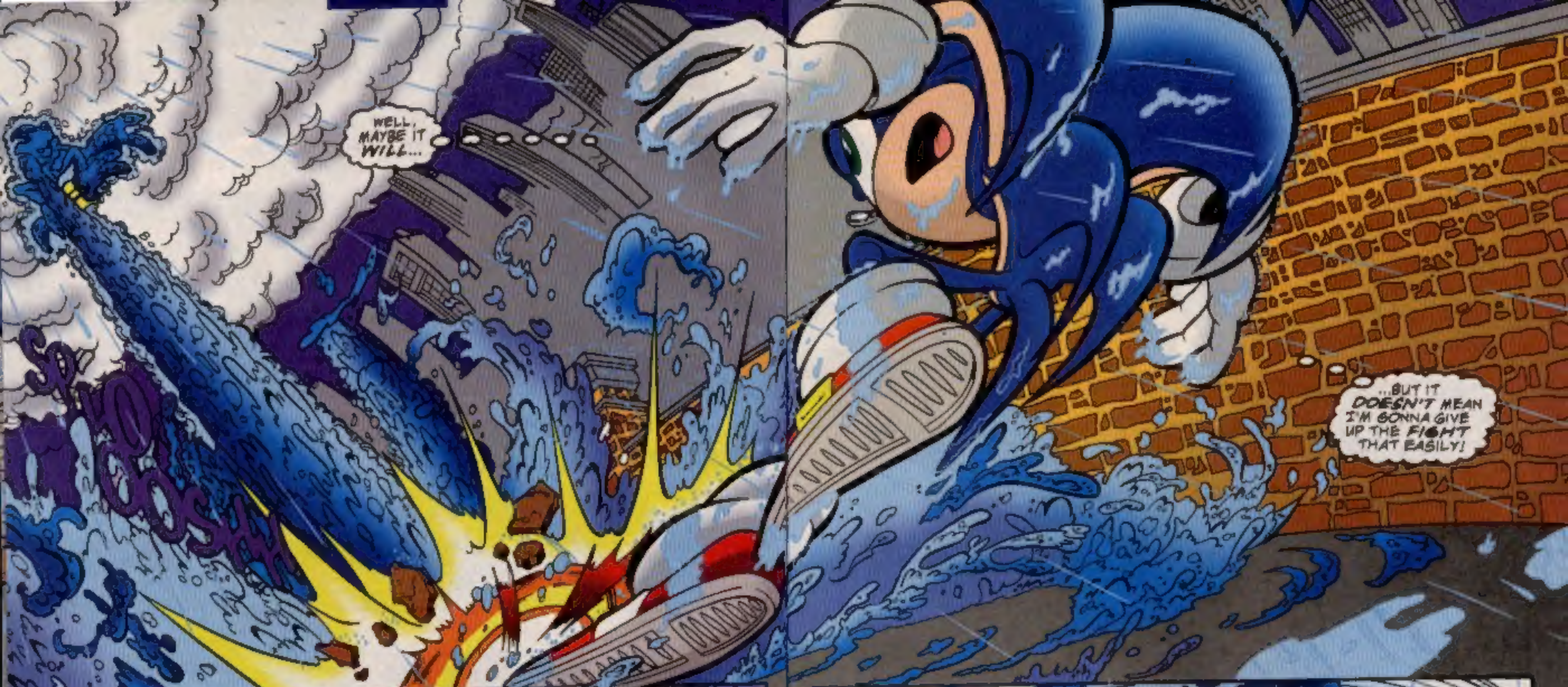
BLAM BLAM BLAM

"OH NO! OUR
WEAPONS ARE
USELESS!"

RETREAT!
ALL PERSONNEL--
PULL BACK!

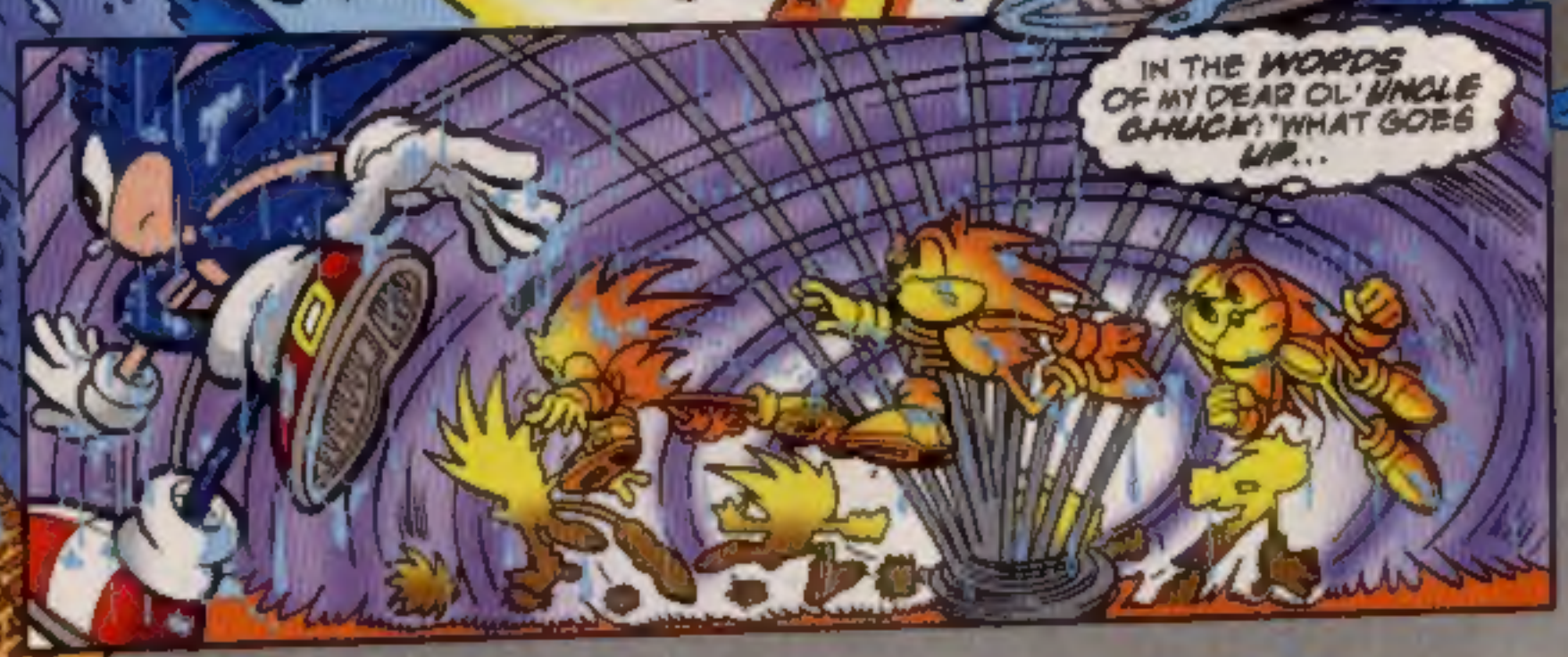
UGH!



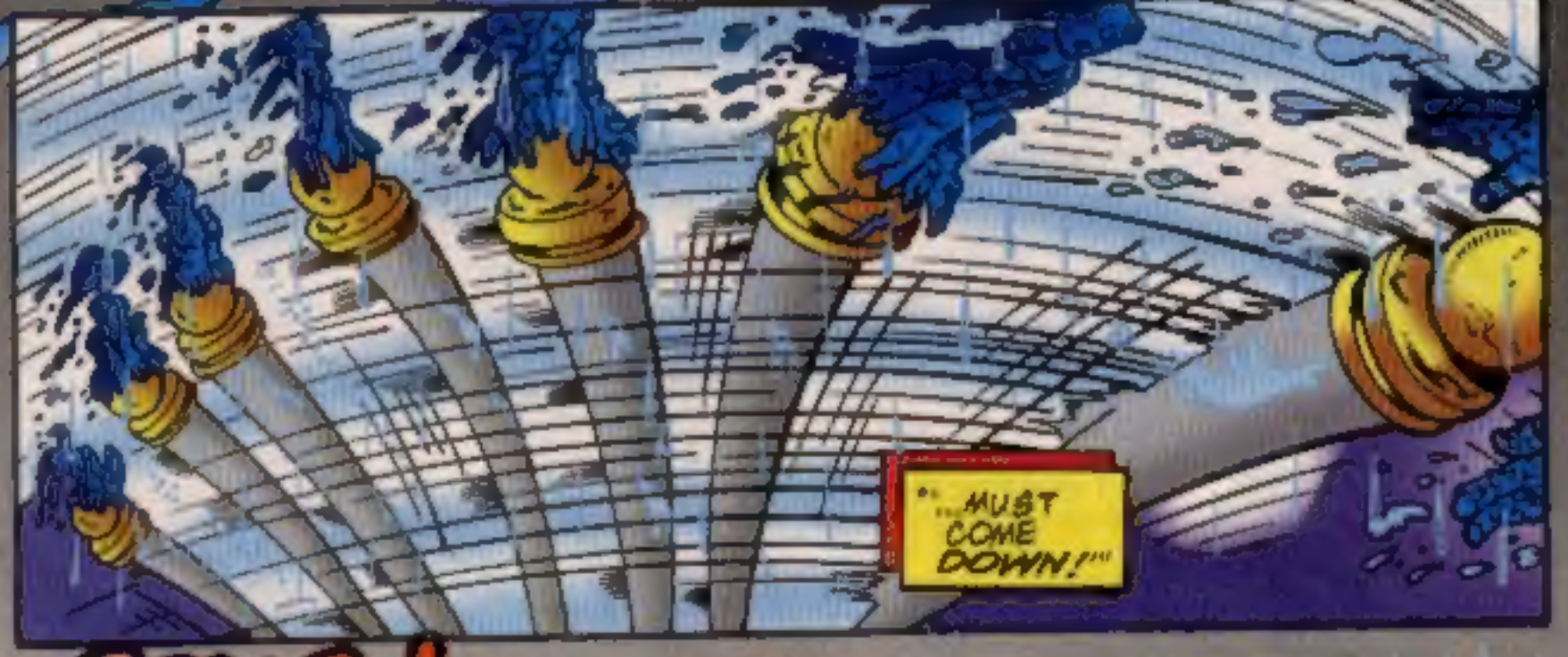


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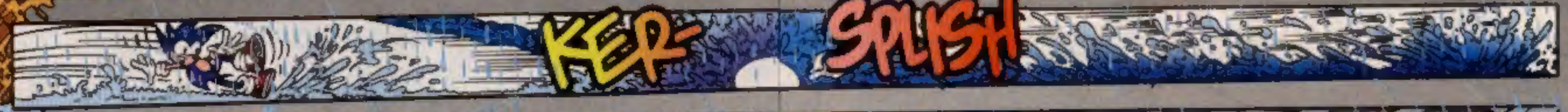
...BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN I'M GONNA GIVE UP THE FIGHT THAT EASILY!



IN THE WORDS OF MY DEAR OL' UNCLE CHUCK, 'WHAT GOES UP...



"...MUST COME DOWN!"



KER-

SPLISH



COME ON, YA BIG DRIP--

--WHERE YA GOIN'?



I'LL PLAY
WITH YOU SOME
OTHER TIME!

NOT BAD,
HEDGEHOG!

YEAH,
NOT
BAD!

OH REALLY? YOU
KNOW NOTHING, FOOL!
YOU MAY HAVE WON THE
FIRST BATTLE, BUT THE
WAR HAS ONLY JUST
BEGUN--

--FOR YOU FACE
THE GOD
CHAOS, OF
DESTRUCTION!
HA! HA! HA!
HA! HA!

OUR SONIC ADVENTURE
ADAPTATION CONTINUES IN
SONIC SUPER SPECIAL #13!
DON'T YOU MISS IT!

Born to the most noble of Echidna houses, the latest to continue the family heritage and responsibility as Guardian of The Floating Island, defender of all against the forces of evil from the world beyond as well as those who would threaten from within!

ARCHIE COMICS AND SEGA PRESENT... KNUCKLES THE ECHIDNA!

THIS LOOKS
SWEET, WHATEVER
IT IS!

KIND OF
SOME WEAPON,
I GUESS!

DOOR to the PAST

BET THIS WOULD
BE NASTY TO USE
IN A FIGHT!

NEVER SAW ANYTHING
LIKE THIS USED BY
ANY ECHIDNA I CAN
THINK OF!

WHOA!

MY
HEAD!

FEELING KINDA
WOODY ALL OF A
SUDDEN!

SEEING COLORS
FLASH BEFORE
MY EYES!

LOOKS
PRETTY,
THOUGH!

DO
NOT WORRY,
KNUCKLES--

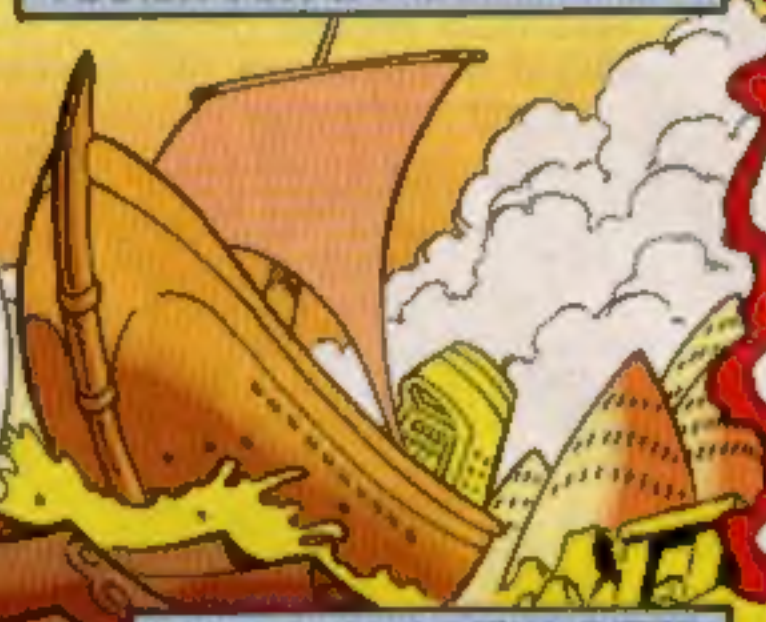


--FOR IT IS ONLY I, TIKAL, AND I NEED YOUR HELP!

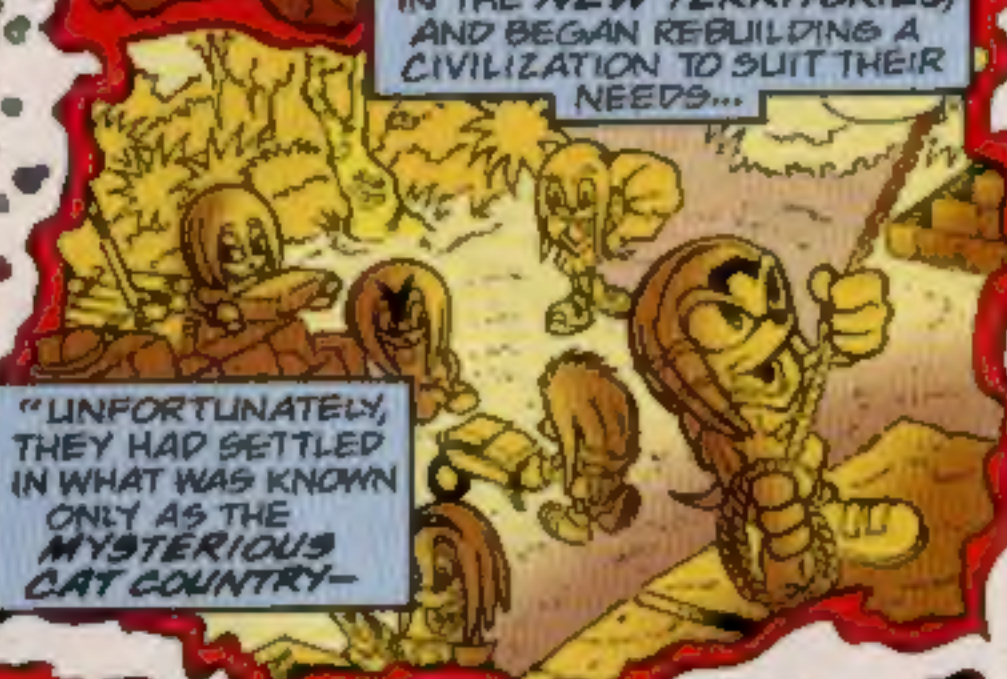
MY HELP? FOR WHAT?!!

YOU MAY BE AN ECHIDNA, BUT THAT ALONE DOESN'T CUT ANY ICE WITH ME!

"VERY WELL, KNUCKLES, MY TALE BEGINS LONG AGO, WHEN A BOATLOAD OF ECHIDNAS DEPARTED ALBION FOR THE HIGH SEAS...

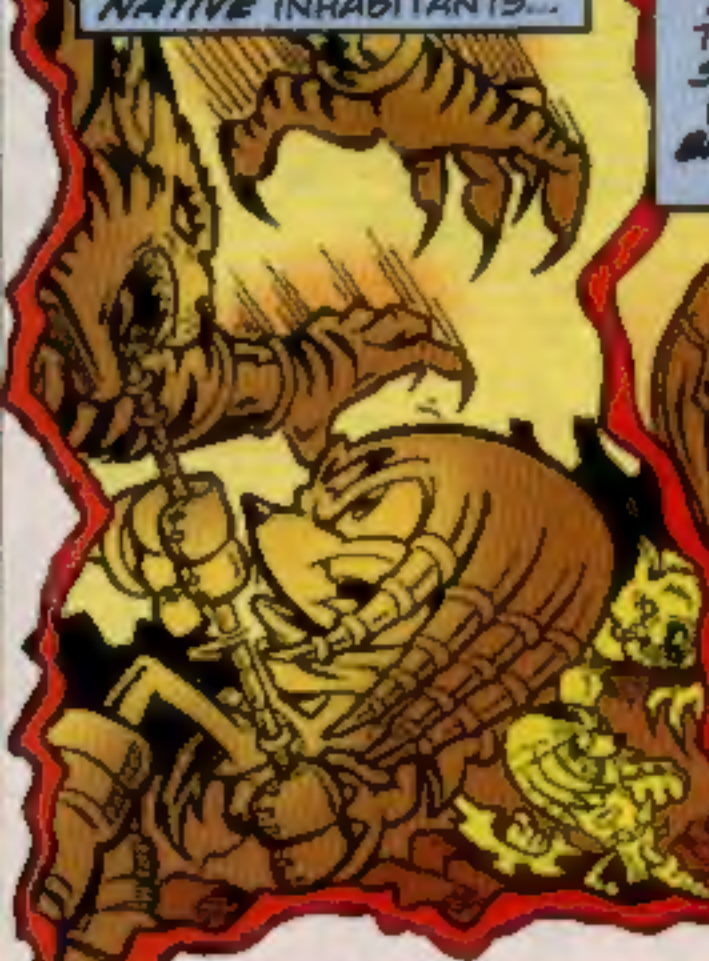


"EVENTUALLY, THEY LANDED IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, AND BEGAN REBUILDING A CIVILIZATION TO SUIT THEIR NEEDS...



"UNFORTUNATELY, THEY HAD SETTLED IN WHAT WAS KNOWN ONLY AS THE MYSTERIOUS CAT COUNTRY--

--AND SOON FOUND THEMSELVES FIGHTING FOR THEIR LIVES WITH THE NATIVE INHABITANTS...



"THE WARRIOR CASTE KNOWN AS THE KNUCKLES CLAN DECIDED TO STAY AND DEFEND THEIR TERRITORY, BUT THE SCIENTISTS WANTED NO PART OF ANY FURTHER BLOODSHED... AND SO THEY DEPARTED..."



"MY FATHER, ANCHAMAC, SEETHED FURIOUSLY INSIDE, ANGERED AT THE BETRAYAL BY THOSE WHO NEEDED THE KNUCKLES CLAN IN THE FIRST PLACE IN ORDER TO MOUNT THE EXPEDITION...



"MANY YEARS LATER, WHEN I WAS GROWN--

"--WE CHANCED UPON
THE MYSTIC RUINS--"

WHO BUILT
IT? AND WHY
TIKAL?

IT MAY
BEHOOVE US
TO LEARN,
FATHER!

"--WHERE WE DISCOVERED
THE CHAO..."

WHAT STRANGE,
BEAUTIFUL
CREATURES,
FATHER!

MAYBE
THIS IS
THEIR
HOME!

"BEFORE FATHER COULD
EVALUATE OUR DISCOVERY
FURTHER, HE RECEIVED AN
URGENT MESSAGE FROM
ONE OF HIS SCOUTS..."

THE CAT
CREATURES
ARE PREPARING
TO STRIKE
BACK, LORD
PACHAMAC!

"NOT WANTING ME TO TAKE
PART IN ACTIVE COMBAT,
FATHER ORDERED ME TO
STAY BEHIND AT THE RUINS
WHILE HE GATHERED HIS
TROOPS FOR
BATTLE..."

FATHER
TOLD ME
TO KEEP MY
DISTANCE--

--BUT THESE BIRD-
LIKE BEINGS SEEM
SO PLAYFUL AND
HAPPY.

MAYBE I CAN
COMMUNICATE
WITH THEM!

HELLO, MY NAME IS TIKAL.

AND--I
DON'T BELIEVE
THIS--

--I CAN UNDER-
STAND YOU!

OH! DO
YOU LIVE
HERE AS
WELL?

"THE BEING I CAME TO
KNOW AS CHAO DIDN'T
SPEAK, BUT HE MADE HIS
INTENTIONS KNOWN JUST
THE SAME--

YOU WANT TO
BE FRIENDS?

A
PLEASURE
TO MEET
YOU!

"HOWEVER, THE BATTLE
WITH THE CAT CREATURES
WENT BADLY, AND THE
ONLY THING THAT WOULD
SAVE MY PEOPLE WERE
THE SEVEN EMERALDS--

"--BUT THEY BELONGED
TO THE CHAO, WHO HAD
NO DESIRE TO BE
INVOLVED IN ANYONE'S
WAR!"

I WON'T OBEY!

WE NEED THOSE
SEVEN EMERALDS
TO GIVE US TOTAL
POWER!

GREED IS
OUR ENEMY!

ONCE IT
STARTS, YOU
WILL ALWAYS
WANT MORE!

BAH! I DON'T
LISTEN TO THE WORD
OF A CHILD!

READY, MEN!!
CHARGE!!!

PLEASE--
DON'T DO
THIS! I
BEG OF
YOU!

IT'S POWER
FOR THE PEOPLE!

FATHER!

AS PACHAMAC AND HIS LOYAL
SOLDIERS APPROACHED, THE
MUTATED CHAO KNOWN AS CHAOS
APPEARED BEFORE THEM, BLOCKING
THEIR PATH TO THE EMERALD.

AAAAAGH!!

IT'S A
MONSTER!!

ROOOO!

THAT DOESN'T
EXPLAIN TO ME HOW
YOU GOT TO BE THE
WAY YOU ARE!

CHAOS EVENTUALLY
BECAME CORRUPT HIMSELF
IN TRYING TO PROTECT HIS
FAMILY FROM OTHERS!

EVENUALLY, THE
CHAO AND I DISCOVERED ITS
WEAKNESS AND MANAGED TO
IMPRISON HIM WITHIN THE
BLACK EMERALD--

--BUT NOT
WITHOUT PAYING
A PRICE!

HEY!
COME BACK
HERE!!

"I HAVEN'T FINISHED
WITH YOU YET!"

ARGH! DUMMIES!
DUMMIES!
DUMMIES!
DUMMIES!

NONE OF
YOU GOT THE
RIGHT ONE!

WE MUST
FIND THE FROG
WITH THE CHAOS
TAIL!

HUH?
AWH, THERE
IT IS!

RIGHT
THERE!

I'M PROUD OF
YOU, GAMMA!

I KNEW
YOU'D BE OF USE
TO ME!

AS FOR
THE REST
OF YOU--

LATER...

AS FOR YOU, MY
SHIVERING FRIEND, YOU'RE
ABOUT TO MAKE A MAJOR
CONTRIBUTION IN THE GRAND
SCHEME OF THINGS!

BEHOLD--

(ENDNOTE REFER TO E 102 BACK-UP STORY
CONCERNING WHAT HAPPENED TO THE
OTHER E 100 SERIES ROBOTS)

--MY
MATTER/ENERGY
TRANSMUTER--

--CAPABLE OF ABSORBING
WHATEVER CHAOS ENERGY YOUR
BODY POSSESSES AS WELL AS SAMPLING
YOUR DNA PATTERN FOR REUSE
IN ANOTHER FORM!

A BRILLIANT
DEVICE, IF I DO SAY
SO MYSELF, FOR YOU
SEE MY FRIEND
PULSATING NEXT
TO YOU--?

HE'S THE
INTENDED BENEFICIARY
OF YOUR
COOPERATION!

DON'T WORRY!!
THIS WON'T HURT--
MUCH!!

MY, MY!
WILL YOU LOOK
AT THAT!!

AFTER SO MUCH
EFFORT!! AFTER
SO MUCH
BLOOD, SWEAT
AND TEARS, WE
FINALLY HAVE--

CHAO

AND BELIEVE ME, IT DOESN'T
GET ANY BETTER THAN THIS!

NOW, GO! SNIFF OUT THE
REST OF THOSE EMERALDS!

THERE'S A WORLD
WAITING FOR YOU
TO BE
UNLEASHED
UPON--

"--AND SOME ENEMIES OF MINE TO ELIMINATE ONCE AND FOR ALL!"

WE HAVE KEPT TO OURSELVES FOR AS LONG AS CAN BE REMEMBERED--

--AND YET, ONCE AGAIN, WE ARE INVADED BY OUTSIDERS SUCH AS YOURSELVES!

WE BELIEVE THOSE FROM YOUR ISLAND POSE A THREAT TO US--

--UNLESS YOU CAN CONVINCE US OTHERWISE!

YOU MAY RULE, BUT I'M NO FOOL!

I HEAR YOUR RAP, I SAY YOU'RE FULL OF CR--

VECTOR!!!
SHOW SOME RESPECT!!

I'D WATCH MY MOUTH IF I WERE YOU!

WE TEND TO EAT OUR YOUNG IF THEY GET OUT OF LINE!

THAT'S SO DISGUSTING!

I MEAN, YOUR MAJESTY, YOU'RE JUST KIDDING, RIGHT?

OH, GROSS!

SHE'D BETTER BE, BECAUSE IF SHE ISN'T--

HUH?



--THE KNUCKLES CLAN
IS PREPARED TO REFIGHT
THE WAR YOUR KIND STARTED
YEARS AGO!

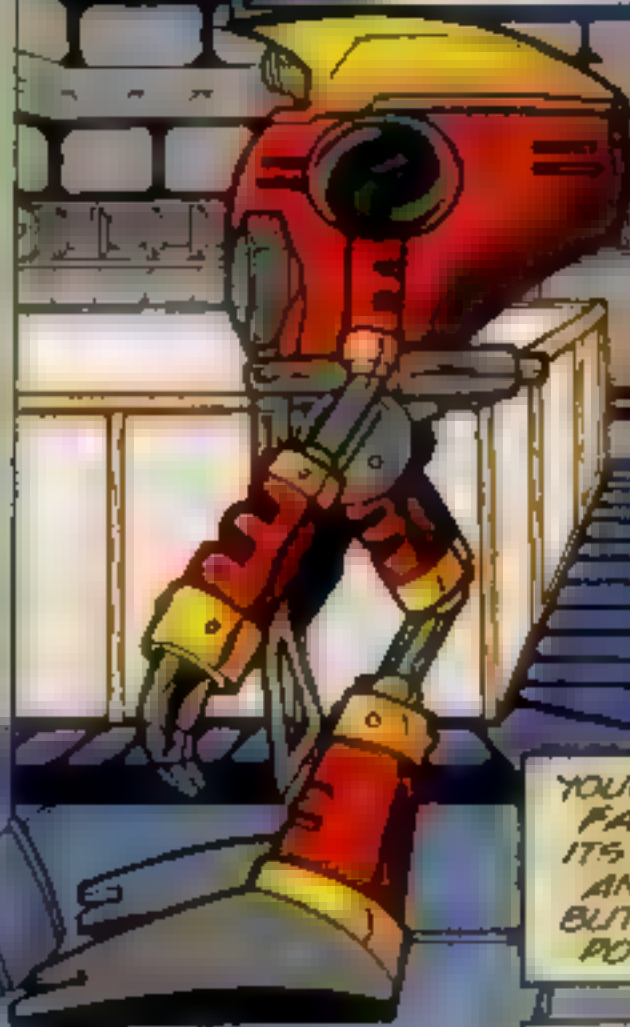
FOLLOW KNUCKLES, CHAOS,
& DR. ROBOTNIK INTO
SONIC SUPER SPECIAL #13,
AND CHECK OUT SONIC #84
FOR THE CONTINUATION OF
LOCKE VS. THE CAT PEOPLE.

E-102

67%

Double-Crossed
CIRCUITS

YOU'VE NEVER SEEN
ANYTHING QUITE LIKE
IT, HAVE YOU, E-102?



YOUR SENSORS REGISTER
FAMILIARITY WITH
ITS RAW MATERIALS
AND COMPONENTS.
BUT ITS SHAPE IS
POSITIVELY ALIEN.

AND ITS PURPOSE?
IS IT IN ANY WAY
SIMILAR TO YOURS?

EXCELLENT! ALL
SYSTEMS - FULL
POWER!

LOOK AT ME! I'M
YOUR BRILLIANT
CREATOR, DR.
ROBOTNIK!

YOU'RE THE
SECOND IN MY E-100
MODEL MACHINES.

Whrrr...
BEEP BEEP BEEP.
Klik!

E-102
CODENAME
GAMMA!

-GAMMA-

THAT'S RIGHT!
YOU WILL NOW
OBEY ONLY ME!

THE SHOOTING RANGE IS THROUGH THIS DOOR

ONCE THERE, YOU HAVE TWO MINUTES TO COMPLETE THE OBSTACLE COURSE!

WUFF...WUFF...

"PROCEED!"

WUFF...
BEEP BEEP BEEP...
KIK!

BEFORE YOU ARE MORE FIGURES, JUST LIKE THE ONES OUTSIDE--

-- ONLY MORE--
DANGEROUS!

NOW ONLY ONE STANDS IN YOUR WAY..



NOW THAT E-102 HAS PROVEN ITS WORTH, DR. ROBOTNIK HAS MORE WORDS FOR ITS PROGRAMMING, AS WELL AS ITS COUNTERPARTS--

--TO GET AN AMPHIBIAN LIFEFORM!

SO NOW YOU'RE OFF, ON YOUR VERY FIRST ASSIGNMENT...

FOR YOU, THERE IS NO RIGHT OR WRONG.

YOU CAN ONLY DO WHAT YOU ARE DIRECTED TO, CORRECT?

SO IT IS NO SURPRISE WHEN, HOURS LATER, YOU AND YOUR BROTHERS RETURN WITH THAT YOU WERE ORDERED TO...

AH, THERE IT IS! RIGHT THERE!
I'M PROUD OF YOU, GAMMA!

I KNEW YOU'D BE
OF USE TO ME!

ALL YOU WORTHLESS
HUNKS OF JUNK --

--BE GONE!

YOU WILL GET
A NEW ASSIGNMENT!
THIS ONE'S EASY!

GO TO
THE ROOM THROUGH
THAT LAST DOOR

ONCE THERE
YOU'LL FIND A GIRL
AND A BIRD. JUST GET
ME THAT BIRD. NOW GO

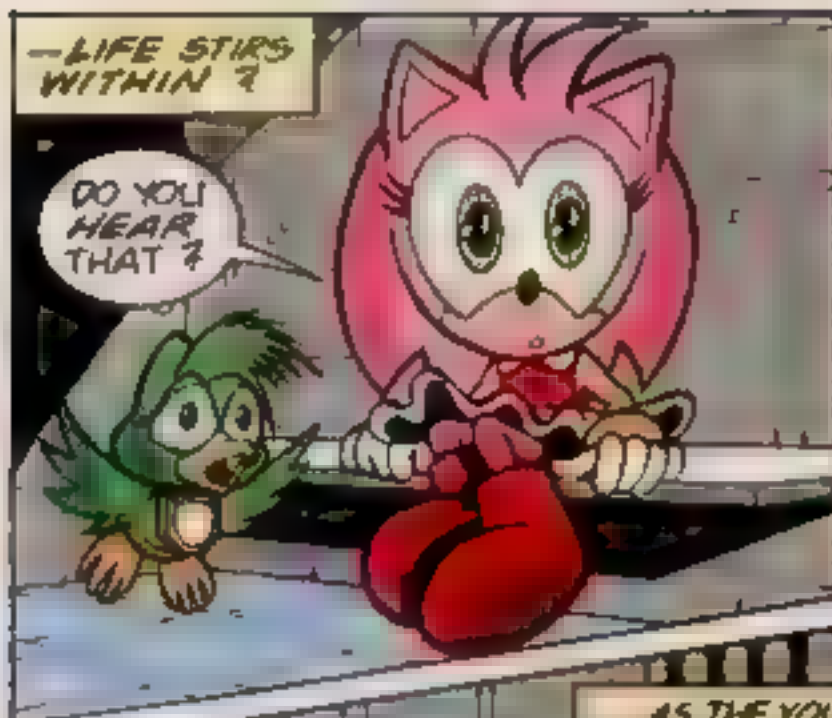
YOU LINGER FOR A WHILE
WHY? COULD IT BE THINKING?

MOVING ABOUT ON YOUR OWN,
E-102? NOW THAT WAS
DEFINITELY UNFORESEEN!

BEREFT OF YOUR PROGRAMMING,
YOU SHOULD BE NOTHING MORE
THAN A MINDLESS HULK--
AN EMPTY SHELL!

CAN IT BE
POSSIBLE--

--THAT SOMEWHERE
UNDER THAT
TITANIUM ALLOY
CASING--



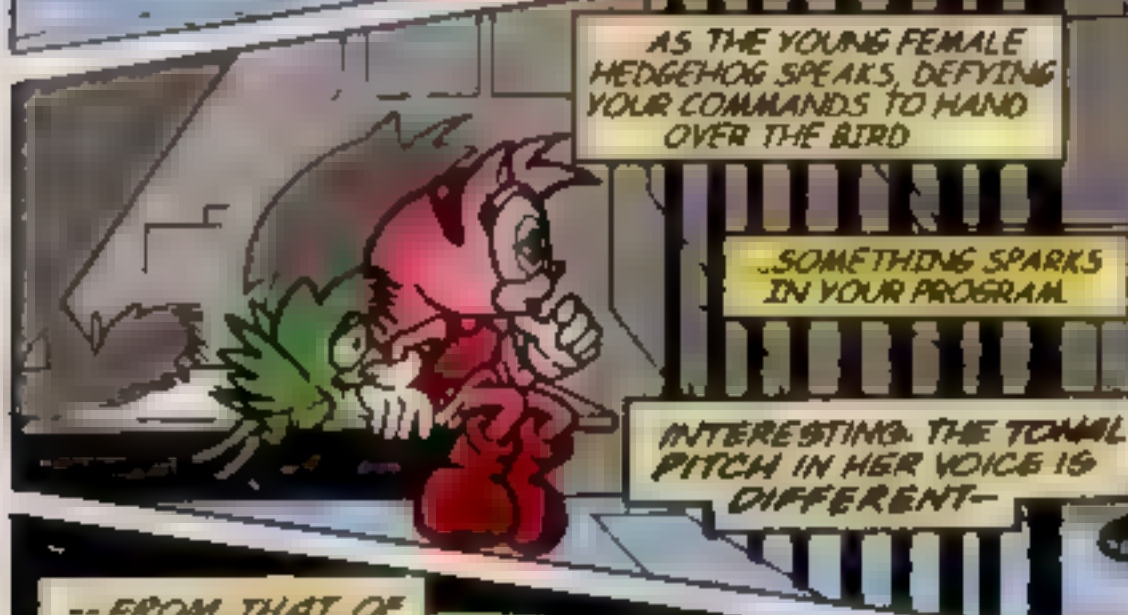
--LIFE STIRS
WITHIN?

DO YOU
HEAR
THAT?



OH!

WHIFF...
WHIFF...



AS THE YOUNG FEMALE
HEDGEHOG SPEAKS, DEFYING
YOUR COMMANDS TO HAND
OVER THE BIRD

...SOMETHING SPARKS
IN YOUR PROGRAM.

INTERESTING. THE TONAL
PITCH IN HER VOICE IS
DIFFERENT--



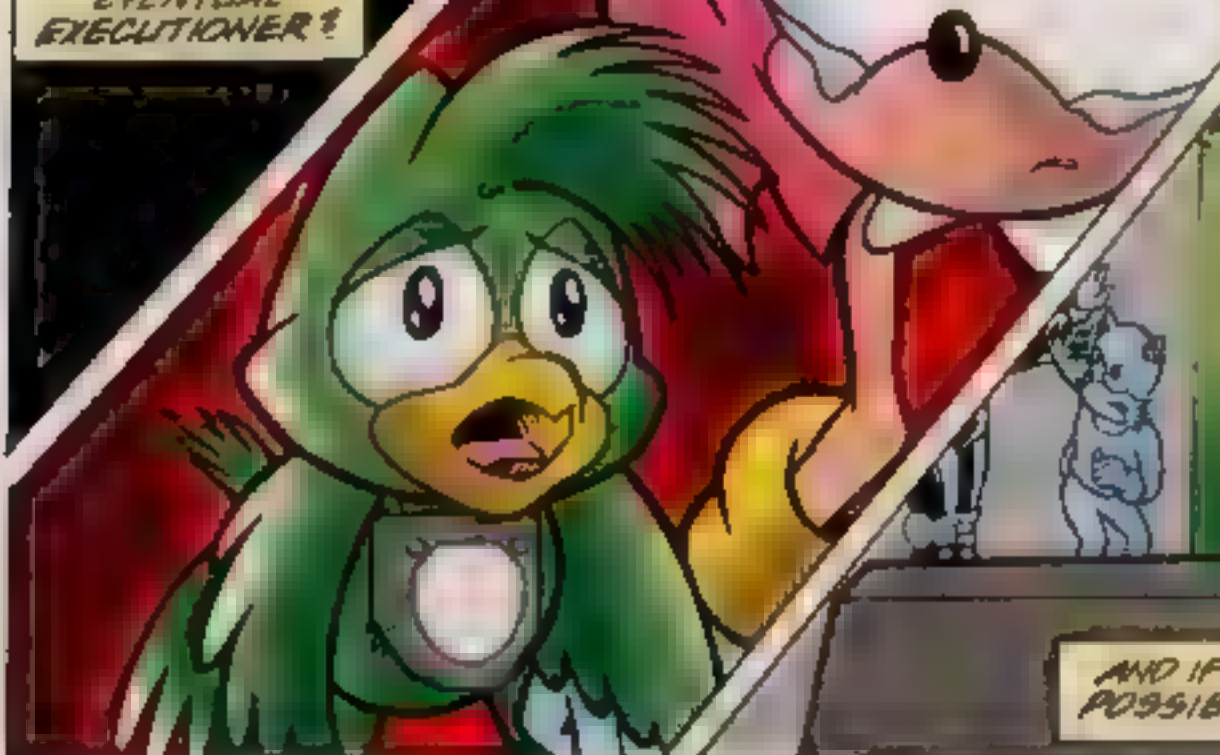
--FROM THAT OF
YOUR-CREATOR.

WHAT IS IT ABOUT THESE
CREATURES THAT CAUSE YOU TO
ACTIVATE YOUR SELF-DIAGNOSTIC
PROGRAM?

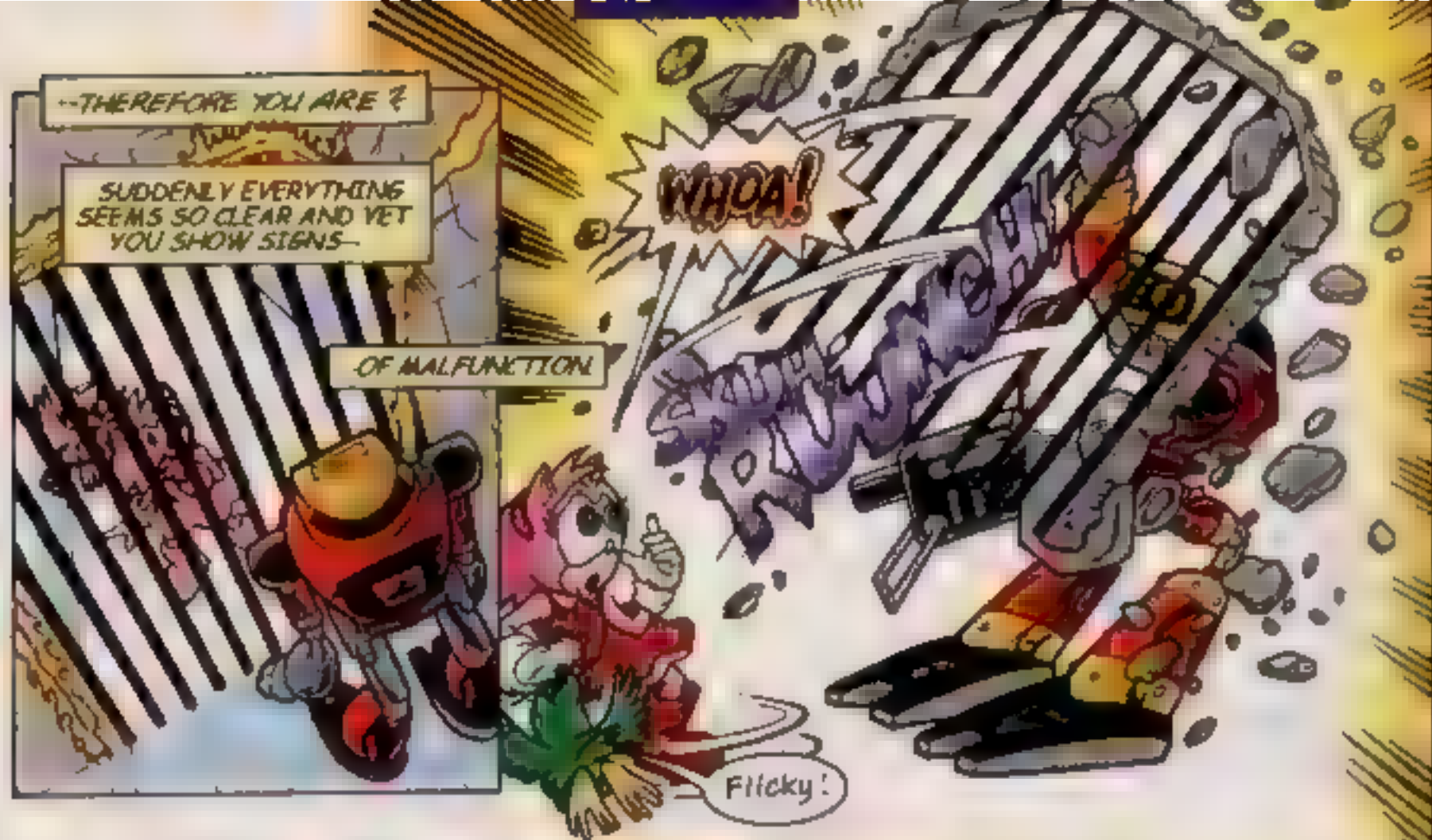
IS IT THE FACT THEY'RE
SO DIFFERENT THAT
TRIPS YOUR SENSORS?

OR IS HE YOUR
EVENTUAL
EXECUTIONER?

OR DOES YOUR
MEMORY CIRCUITS
EQUATE DR ROBOTNIK'S
ROBOTICIZATION
OF THEIR KIND WITH
HIS CAVALIER
DESTRUCTION OF
YOURS?



AND IF SO, IS IT TRULY
POSSIBLE YOU THINK--



...THEREFORE YOU ARE ?

SUDDENLY EVERYTHING
SEEMS SO CLEAR AND YET
YOU SHOW SIGNS...

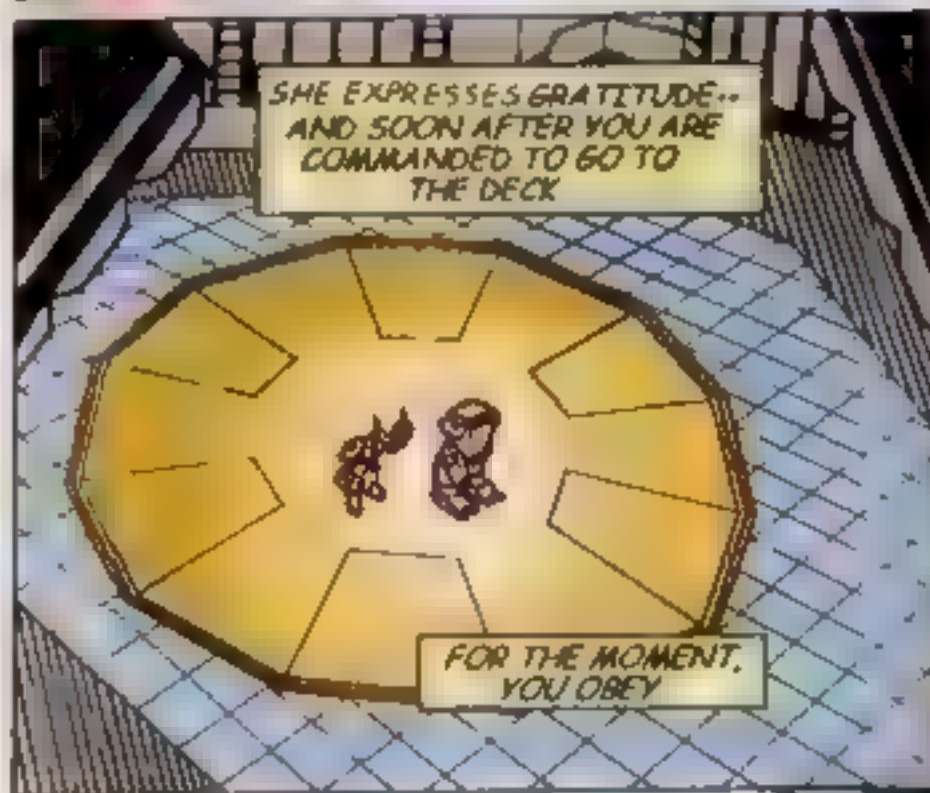
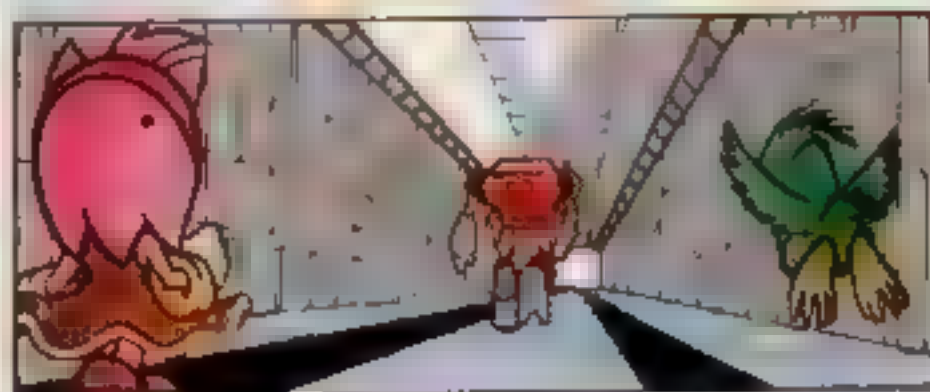
OF MALFUNCTION

Flicky!



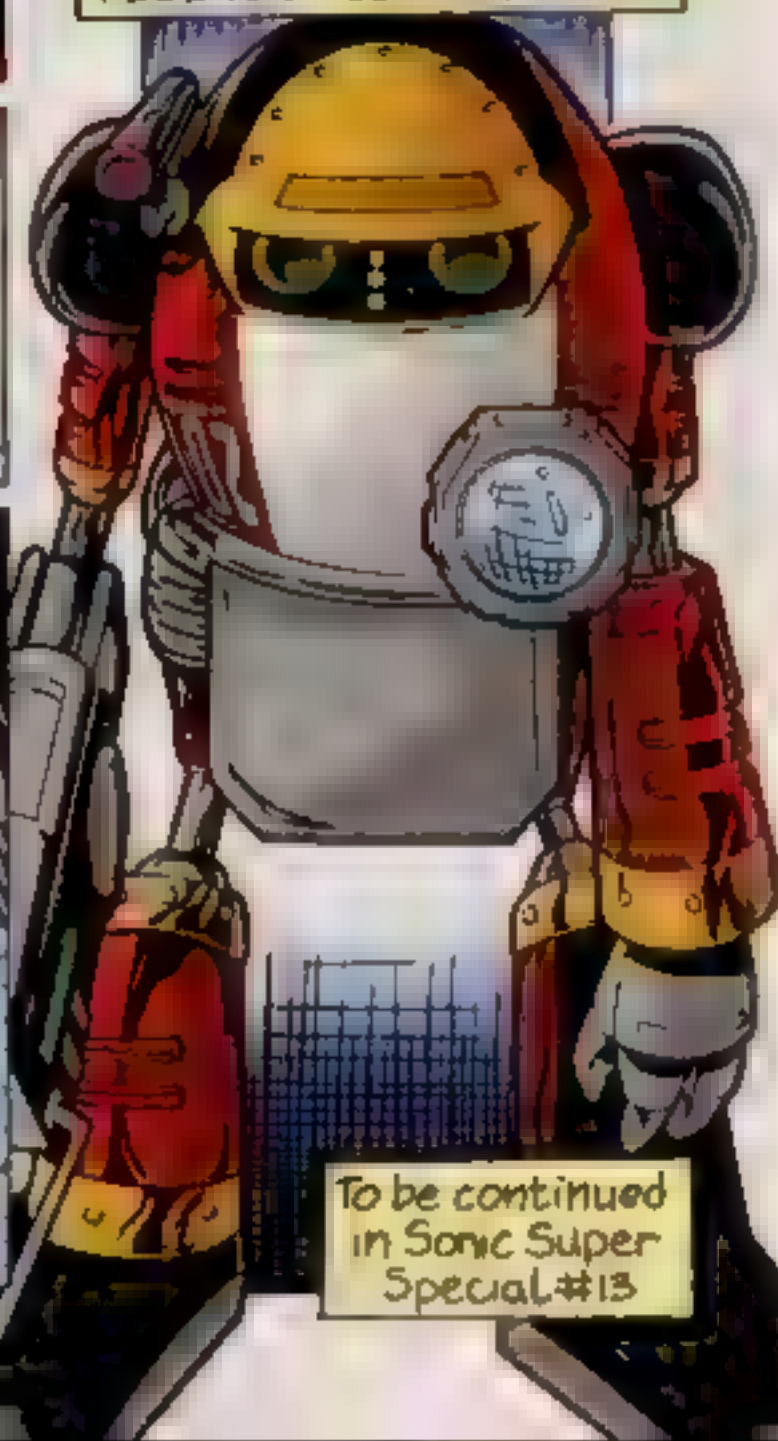
CONGRATULATIONS, E-102. YOU HAVE
NOW SURPASSED THE SLIM TOTAL
OF YOUR PROGRAMMING !

NOW THAT YOU'RE CAPABLE
OF EXPERIENCING LOSS
AND REGRET, HOW DOES IT
FEEL TO BE SENTIENT ?



SHE EXPRESSES GRATITUDE...
AND SOON AFTER YOU ARE
COMMANDED TO GO TO
THE DECK

FOR THE MOMENT,
YOU OBEY



To be continued
in Sonic Super
Special #13

SONIC COLUMN



OFF PANEL

by Gallagher, Manak & Amash

THIS JUST IN?

Welcome to the fourth installment of our adaptation of "SONIC ADVENTURE!" Actually, when I come to think about it, I should really be calling it the fourth PRE-adaptation. The real adaptation is coming in about two weeks with the debut of SONIC SUPER SPECIAL #13! As discussed last issue, I was telling you how we went about merging the differences between the game and the comic. Among those discussed, 1) Sonic's longer quills and green eyes, 2) Amy Rose as a teenager and 3) Dr. Robotnik's new look. This month, I'll tell you about how we managed to include the supporting cast since they don't even exist in the game, as well as explain the humans in a 1990's New York City setting.



First off, since the game concentrates on only the main characters, I treated the comic book the same way but spotlighted the supporting characters helping out from behind the scenes. So that, in itself, was not too difficult. However, the humans in a NYC environment was. We didn't want to do a time travel story since that has been done to death plenty of times. Nor did we want to do a zone story since we've been doing those, too. No... we had to come up with something we haven't done before. So I came up with the "hidden city" concept cut off from the rest of the world. I know it's not an original concept (not by a long shot), but we hadn't done it in a Sonic story in a long time, so that's what we went with. And there you go. That's the wrap-up. See you in two weeks — so until then...

J.F. GABRIE

Editor / Art Director

Catch you on the flip side!

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"Door to the Past"—

1) These are the same echidnas who would later journey to Downunda, build the city of Echidnaopolis, and levitate the Floating Island.

Sonic and gang.

What's up? Issue #77 was great. I never expected King Acorn to congratulate Sonic for what he did. Tales of the Great War, Part 5 was great too. Too bad for Jules, though. I've got some questions now: 1) Is Amy older than Tails? 2) Who's the youngest Freedom Fighter? 3) Is Amadeus in any way related to Tails? 4) Will Tails get his own mini-series again? 5) Do Hershey and St. John like each other? That's all for now. Good luck in the future and good work so far!

Jennifer Flores / Ventura, CA

We never expected King Max's emotional turnaround either, Jennifer. Guess the King is full of a few surprises every now and then. Now, to answer your inquiries: 1) No. Uhh...wait a sec! Amy and Tails were both the same age until she absorbed the energy from the Ring of Acorns in SONIC #79. Now, she's older, and 2) Tails has now become the youngest official Freedom Fighter. 3) Amadeus was Tails' father. 4) There are currently no plans for another mini-series featuring our favorite fox—the SONIC ADVENTURE adaptation is keeping him very busy. 5) We'd say to keep a close eye on Hershey and Geoffrey both!

Dear Sonic-Gramps,

I really like your comic magazine. It rocks! Anyway, I'm going to ask a couple of questions: 1) How did Miles Prower get his two tails? 2) Where do power rings get their power? 3) Are Knothole and Robotropolis the only cities in the Kingdom of Acorn?

Derek Bretz / Aldrich, MN

Who are we to argue with the wisdom of Derek? This comic rocks! 1) Tails was born that way. 2) Power rings can be powered either by Chaos Emeralds or Super Emeralds. 3) As of issue #78, the Kingdom of Acorn was officially Knothole Kingdom, and includes Knothole itself.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Next Month: THE OFFICIAL GAME ADAPTATION OF THE NEW SEGA DREAMCAST'S "SONIC ADVENTURE" is here! It includes 48 pages of Dreamcast fun as Sonic, Tails, Knuckles, and Amy Rose team up against Doctor Robotnik, as he quests to make Chaos the most powerful being on the planet! Got it? Got it? Good! Story by Bollers & Penders with Art by Lim & Pepoy. See ya there and beware the water-beast Chaos!

SONIC SUPER SPECIAL #13 on sale late March 2000!



Dear Sonic-Gramps,

Hey! I really like your comics a lot! Sonic's comics are really cool (though KNUCKLES is still my all-time favorite). I was just wondering how come you guys changed Sonic's character design? I thought it looked (I mean, he looked) way better with his older one and I know a lot of people agree with me (mine don't, but a lot do). Why the change? Also, I know the KNUCKLES comic got cancelled (boo-boo!) and I was wondering if he'd be making frequent appearances in SONIC. Is Knuckles' design going to change also? I hope not. Well, that's it for now. Hope to hear from ya!

Erynne Jones / Upland, CA

Sonic, Tails, and Amy's new designs are based on their new look in the SEGA DREAMCAST SONIC ADVENTURE video game. Over the years, we've shifted more toward the continuity from the ABC Saturday morning cartoon to please fans of that show. Now, we'd like to incorporate something for the game lovers, as well. KNUCKLES is now a regular SONIC feature. Erynne (hip-hip-hooray!).

Dear Sonic-Gramps,

I loved #77. So "butt"nik is still sick and the king is pleased? Question time: 1) Back in issue #51, who sent you the virtual reality medal? 2) Will the new or old Robotnik take over the new Robotropolis? 3) In SONIC SUPER SPECIAL #11, I've seen Uncle Chuck. Will he ever have his freedom again? That's all, and thanks for your cooperation!

Tom McMahon / Tewksbury, MA

1) The VR medal was the handiwork of the new Robotnik, but Sonic doesn't know that yet (so don't tell him, okay?) 2) The new Robotnik is definitely in charge of Robotropolis. 3) Even we don't have an answer to that, Tom, but thanks for asking!

Dear Sonic-Gramps,

I really like issue #77! Lately, I decided to

get a 12-issue subscription. I have a few questions for you: 1) I missed SONIC #75. Who was behind Robotnik's mask? 2) What happened in Tales of the Great War, Part 4? 3) What happened in Sonic #76? I also have five Sonic and Tails video games!

James Deal / Ashburn, VA

Glad you decided to save for a 12-issue subscription, James. It's a great way not to miss out on issues. 1) Robo-Robotnik was the meanie behind the mask. 2) A battle was fought between the Mobians and the Overlanders, Robotnik's brother was introduced, we saw Hershey's mom, and King Max made Julian his warlord. 3) Sonic and the Freedom Fighters returned to Robotropolis and teamed with Snively against Robo-Robotnik.

Dear Archie Comics,

Should I color the Sonic drawings I send, or will you? I have two very well drawn pictures by me. First, I'll show my friend's picture, then I'll send one to you.

Travis William Nobley / Edwards, CA

The coloring is up to you, Travis, so get out your Crayolas, okay?

We appreciate your comments on SONIC #77 & #78. See you in thirty as we review SONIC THE HEDGEHOG #79. And remember...

KEEP ON JUICIN'!

This issue's cover by Patrick Spaziant and Harvey Mercadoocasio. The last two issues' covers (#80 & #81) were by Manny Galan and Ken Penders. All of them were colored and separated by Josh D. Ray.

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